

Exemption from Closed Captioning: Undue Burden

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FCC Mail Room

Name and Address of organization:

Long Suffering M. B. Church
366 Carson Rd. Crawford, MS 39743

Name & title of contact person: Pastor John L. Sanders

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Instructions: Please provide responses to the following items. You should submit documentation to support your statements, particularly those related to your finances. There is no need to limit replies to the space provided. The more information included in your petition, the greater the likelihood of success in obtaining an exemption.

1. Describe the organization and nature of its operations, including for profit/non-profit status, business purpose or mission, and primary activities (examples: education, ministry, public service, etc.).

It's a baptist church of a non-profit organization. The nature of it is to win souls for God. Our mission is to teach, preach, and convert lost soul by giving them the word of God.

2. Give a brief description of the programming and its intended purpose.

It's a religion program. It is intending to reach people that are confined in their home, imprisoned and nursing home. We will also reaching out to viewer who decide not to attend church for other reason.

3. Give a specific description of the methods and costs of closed captioning the programming. You may wish to contact the station(s) to get more details about the type of captioning used as well the costs of services, equipment and maintenance.

The specific cost of closed captioning according the station is \$400 a week, which is three times more the cost to air the program. Also our editing man research and found the same price or more, which we're unable to afford. Due to the small congregation and economic cost; lost of some member jobs.

4. Does the expense associated with captioning require you to seek additional funds or curtail development and investment in other aspects of your organization? Does it have any other negative affect on your operations? Please explain fully.

We have to raise money to pay the producer and TV station. The closed captioning cost more than two combine together.

5. Please describe your finances and resources. You should be sure to include the documents supporting your description, such as annual reports, balance statements, tax forms, and/or any other material depicting your cash flow, when you send back this questionnaire.

Our Finances is based upon contributions of members in the congregation.

6. List other relevant factors that demonstrate the burden of closed captioning requirements. Does it harm relations with other organizations or affect timing and delivery of programming? Any way in which the requirements would make day-to-day functioning harder should be mentioned.

Yes, it affect timing of the delivery of programming. The editing man have to edit the program which takes a length of times. The TV station require the tape to be in on Thursday in order for it to run on Sunday. Sending the program for closed captioning and returned on time is not a guarantee, which affect the airing of the program.

7. Offer examples of one or more alternatives to closed captioning that would both be feasible for your organization and make programming readily accessible to the hearing impaired.

We find someone that do sign language, but
it this time we're unable to find someone in
this rural area or afford it.



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LONG SUFFERING M. B. CHURCH
366 CARSON RD
CRAWFORD MS 39743-9568

CYCLE-018

*** CHECKING *** VALUE CHECKING-COMM
PREVIOUS STATEMENT BALANCE AS OF 03/17/09 2,214.69
PLUS 4 DEPOSITS AND OTHER CREDITS 3,526.52
LESS 15 CHECKS AND OTHER DEBITS 4,615.63
LESS CYCLE SERVICE CHARGE 7.00
CURRENT STATEMENT BALANCE AS OF 04/17/09 1,118.58
NUMBER OF DAYS IN THIS STATEMENT PERIOD 31

*** CHECK TRANSACTIONS ***		
SERIAL	DATE	AMOUNT
1327	03/30	495.14
1328	03/31	351.55
1329	04/17	400.00
1330	04/08	39.29

SERIAL	DATE	AMOUNT
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1335	04/13	215.85







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04/03	LOAN PAYMENT	1,207.33	
	TO RL-0000000054042263		
04/06	DEPOSIT		679.39
04/09	LOAN PAYMENT	486.91	
	TO BL-0000000054438263		
04/13	DEPOSIT		1,227.68
04/17	CYCLE SERVICE CHARGE	7.00	
04/17	AC-FOUR COUNTY ELEC-ELEC.	64.00	
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04/17	AC-FOUR COUNTY ELEC-ELEC.	91.38	
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*** BALANCE BY DATE ***

03/17	2,214.69	03/23	3,012.25	03/30	3,020.61	03/31	2,398.46
04/03	1,191.13	04/06	1,520.52	04/08	1,481.23	04/09	994.32
04/13	1,803.75	04/17	1,118.58				

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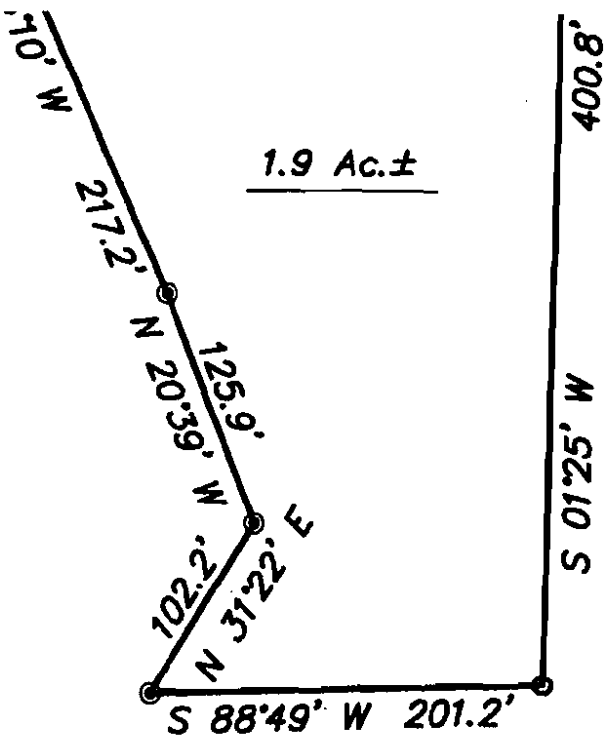
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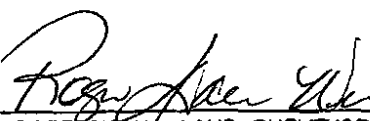
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 COMMENCING AT THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SAID SECTION 16; RUN THENCE SOUTH A DISTANCE OF 50 FEET TO A POINT ON THE SOUTH RIGHT-OF-WAY OF A COUNTY ROAD KNOWN AS CARSON ROAD; RUN THENCE EAST AND ALONG SAID RIGHT-OF-WAY OF CARSON ROAD A DISTANCE OF 395.5 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING OF THE HEREIN DESCRIBED TRACT; RUN THENCE EAST AND ALONG SAID RIGHT-OF-WAY A DISTANCE OF 287.7 FEET TO A POINT; RUN THENCE SOUTH 01 DEGREES 25 MINUTES WEST A DISTANCE OF 400.8 FEET TO A POINT; RUN THENCE SOUTH 88 DEGREES 49 MINUTES WEST A DISTANCE OF 201.2 FEET TO AN IRON PIN; RUN THENCE NORTH 31 DEGREES 22 MINUTES EAST A DISTANCE OF 102.2 FEET TO AN IRON PIN; RUN THENCE NORTH 20 DEGREES 39 MINUTES WEST A DISTANCE OF 125.9 FEET TO AN IRON PIN; RUN THENCE NORTH 23 DEGREES 10 MINUTES WEST A DISTANCE OF 217.2 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING AND CONTAINING 1.9 ACRES, MORE OR LESS.

LONG SUFFERING MISSIONARY
 BAPTIST CHURCH
 (DB 1200 - PG 146)



DATE OF FIELD SURVEY: 6/07/07
 DATE OF OFFICE WORK: 7/05/07

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 PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYOR
 DATE: 7/5/07



SURVEY OF: PART OF NW 1/4 OF NW 1/4
 OF SECTION 16, T-17N, R-17E, LOWNDES CO., MS

FOR
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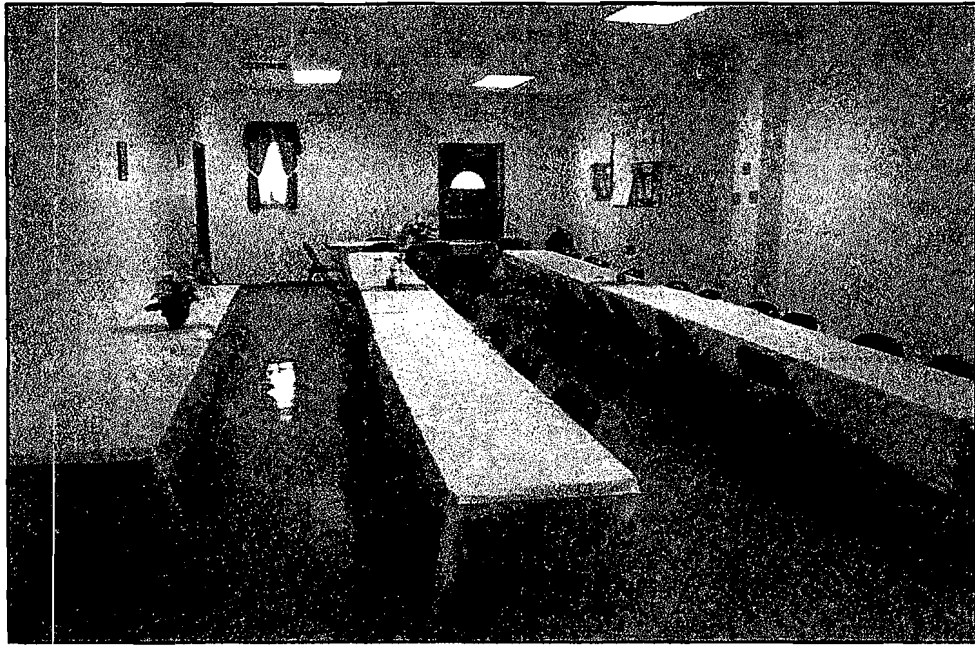
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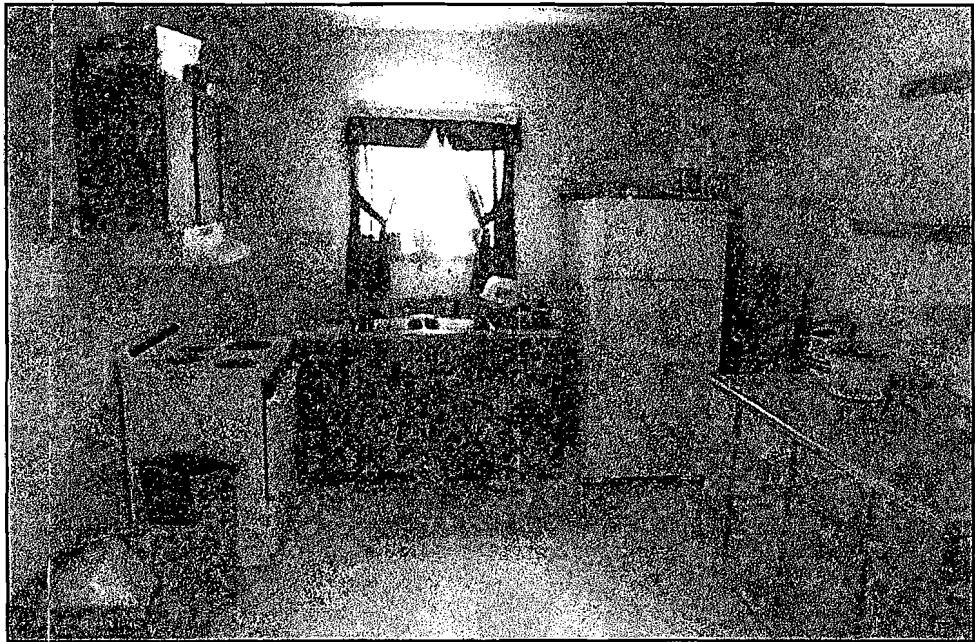
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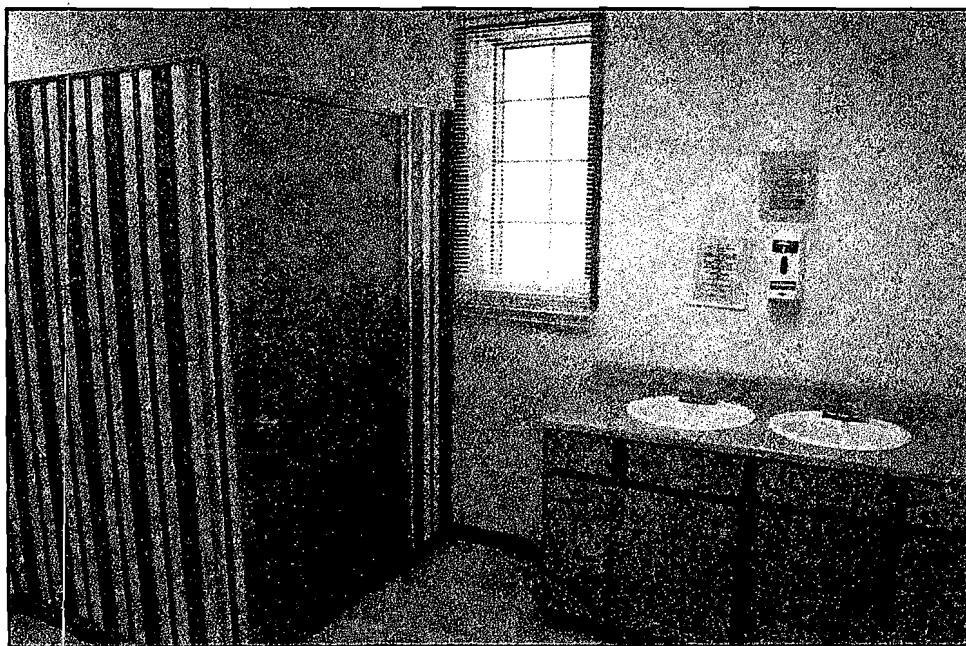
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View of cafeteria and fellowship room



View of the kitchen



View of a typical restroom



View of an office

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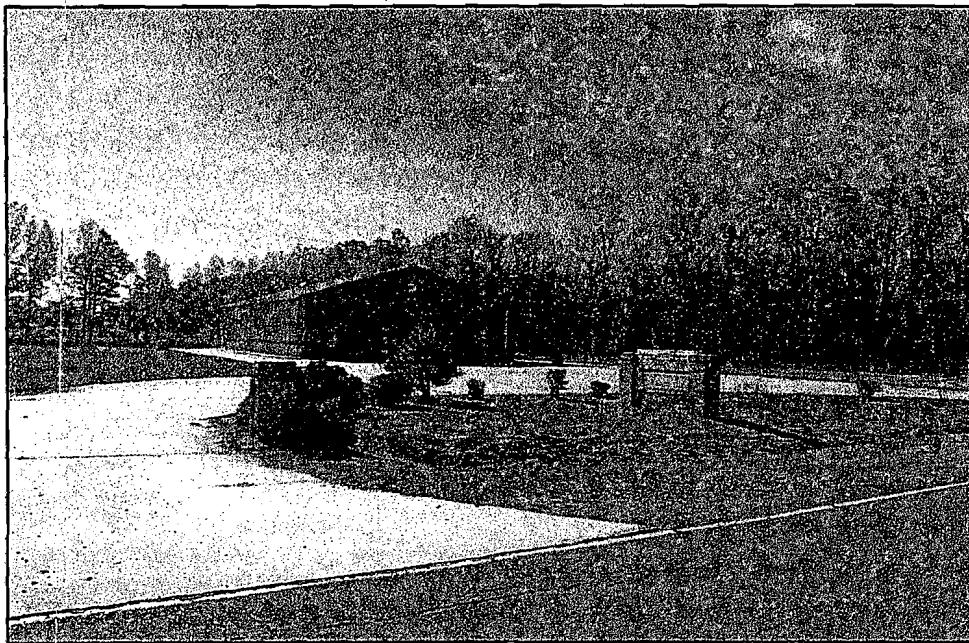
IMPROVEMENT DESCRIPTION AND ANALYSIS, contd

The proposed fellowship hall will be similar quality construction as the worship facility. This building will be 2,400 square feet \pm .

The improvements because of their age will be valued with little or no major physical depreciation and no major items of deferred maintenance.

Other on site improvements consist of approximately 25,000 square feet of concrete parking areas, sidewalks, lighting, and landscaping.

The photographs and other exhibits are included to help further describe the property and to assist the reader in visualizing the improvements.

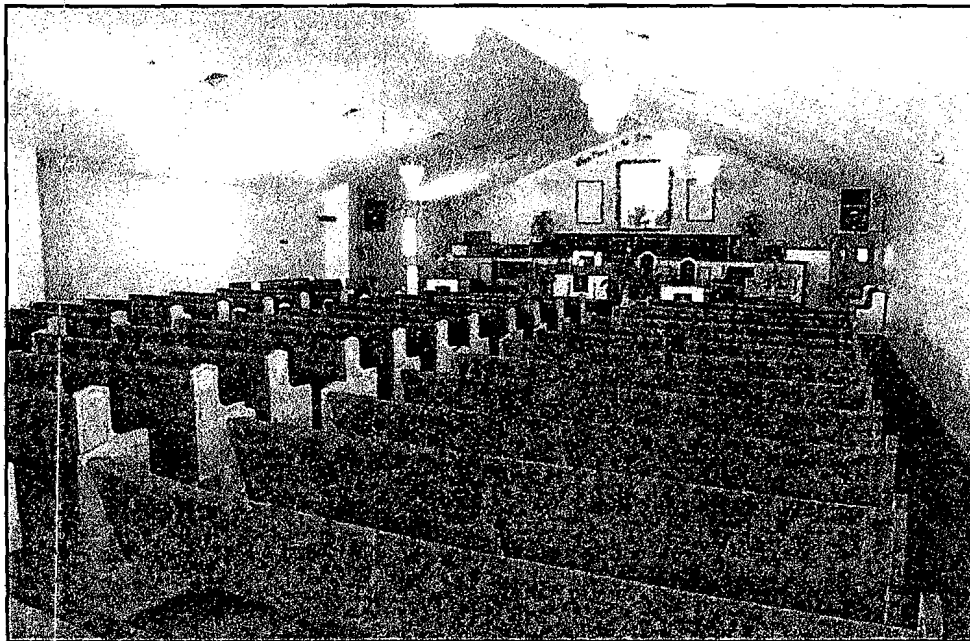


View of the subject from Carson Rd

PICTURES



View of the east side of the worship facility



View of the sanctuary